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AMENDMENTS TO DRAWINGS

Please replace Sheet 12/13 with the attached Annotated Sheet 12/13, which deletes Figure 12.

Please replace Sheet 13/13 with the attached Replacement Sheet 12/12, which renames Figure 13 as Figure 12.

REMARKS

In accordance with 37 C.F.R. §1.121(b)(1)(iv), Applicants request the deletion of the following paragraphs from the specification:

- Paragraph 24 (page 4, lines 23-24) (beginning with “FIGURE 12” and ending with “;and”);
- Lines immediately above Paragraph 52 (page 12, lines 11-13) (beginning with “EXAMPLE 6” and ending with “-NH₂”); and
- Paragraph 52 (page 12, lines 14-32 and page 13, lines 1-2) (beginning with “The coupling” and ending with “peptide I.”).

Paragraphs 7, 24-25, 48, 52-53 and 56 of the Application have been amended for stylistic purposes, to expedite prosecution, and to properly reference SEQ ID NOS. Specifically, in an effort to expedite prosecution, Applicants have deleted Example 6 from the Application. Applicants assert that these deletions do not affect the scope or validity of the claims in any way.

In a further effort to expedite prosecution, Applicants have deleted Figure 12 from the Drawings. Applicants have also renamed Figure 13 as Figure 12. The Application has also been amended to reflect these amendments. Applicants further assert that these amendments do not affect the scope or validity of the claims in any way.

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CONCLUSION

For at least the reasons stated above, the reasons stated in the Reply filed on December 9, 2011, and the reasons stated in the Supplemental Reply filed on February 9, 2012, Applicants assert that claims 1, 3, 5-7, 9-13, 15-18, 20 and 26-28 are in condition for allowance. Accordingly, Applicants respectfully request an allowance of the aforementioned claims. Applicants also request that the Examiner call Applicants' Attorney at the below listed number if the Examiner believes that such a discussion would be helpful in resolving any remaining issues.

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Annotated Sheet
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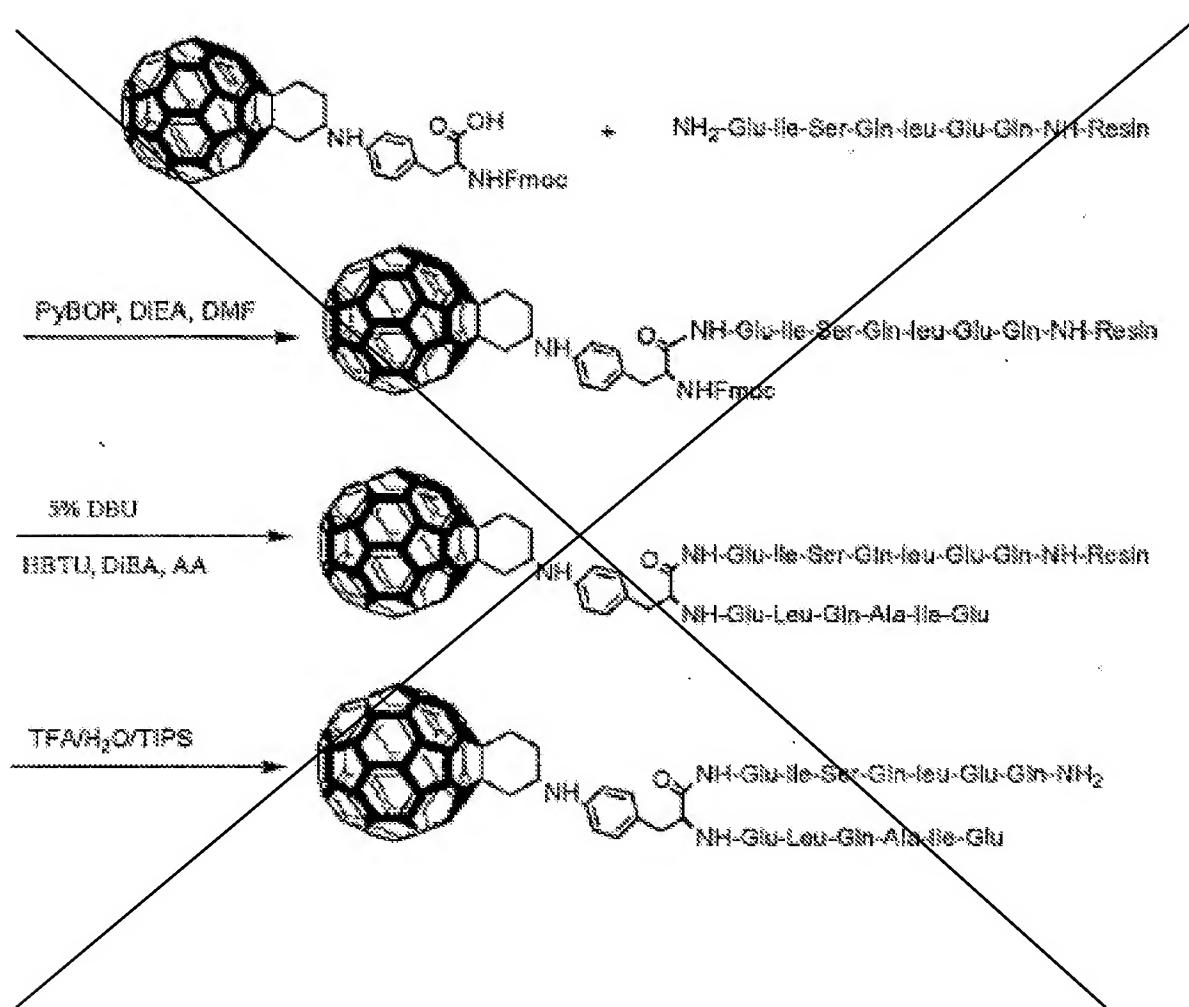


Fig. 12